

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1652

To amend the Telemarketing and Consumer Fraud and Abuse Prevention Act to authorize the Federal Trade Commission to issue new rules to establish a requirement to prohibit any telemarketing calls during the hours of 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 22, 2007

Mr. KING of New York introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Protection From Tele-
5 marketers Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION RULES.**

2 Section 3(a) of the Telemarketing and Consumer
3 Fraud and Abuse Prevention Act (15 U.S.C. 6102) is
4 amended by adding at the end the following:

5 “(4) The Commission shall include in such
6 rules respecting other abusive telemarketing acts or
7 practices a requirement that telemarketers shall not
8 initiate any outbound telephone calls to any person
9 during the hours of 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the
10 locality of the person called.”.

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